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Re: AC# 3-OKE-J9 – Health Care & Retirement Corporation of America d/b/a Oakmont East Nursing Center

Dear Mr. DeKany:

The accompanying report has been prepared by our office based on your Medicaid Financial and Statistical Report submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services for the cost report period October 1, 1998 through September 30, 1999. That report was used to set the rate covering the contract period beginning October 1, 2000.

We are recommending that the Department of Health and Human Services certify an accounts receivable to recover amounts due as a result of the rate change shown on Exhibit A. You will be notified of repayment terms by that Agency.

If you take exception to this report in any manner, you have the right to appeal in accordance with the <u>Code of Laws of South Carolina</u>, 1976 as amended, Title 44, and Department of Health and Human Services Regulation R.126-150, and you must respond in writing within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of this letter. This written response must address the specific items in the report being appealed, and must be directed to the Appeals and Hearings, Department of Health and Human Services, Post Office Box 8206, Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206. Any correspondence should include the control number appearing on Exhibit A of this report.

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Mr. Jeff Saxon

Mr. Joseph P. Hayes

HEALTH CARE & RETIREMENT CORPORATION OF AMERICA D/B/A OAKMONT EAST NURSING CENTER

GREENVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA

CONTRACT PERIOD BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2000 AC# 3-OKE-J9

AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES REPORT ON CONTRACT

FOR

PURCHASE OF NURSING CARE SERVICES

WITH

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

July 26, 2001

Department of Health and Human Services State of South Carolina Columbia, South Carolina

We have performed the procedures described below, which were agreed to by the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, solely to compute the rate change and related adjusted reimbursement rate to be used by the Department in determining the reimbursement settlement with Health Care & Retirement Corporation of America d/b/a Oakmont East Nursing Center, for the contract period beginning October 1, 2000, and for the twelve month cost report period ended September 30, 1999, as set forth in the accompanying schedules. The management of Health Care & Retirement Corporation of America d/b/a Oakmont East Nursing Center is responsible for the Financial and Statistical Report for Nursing Homes and supporting accounting and statistical records. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was performed in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accoutants. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the Department of Health and Human Services. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

The procedures and the associated findings are as follows:

- 1. We tested selected costs or areas based on our analytical procedures applied to the reimbursable Medicaid program costs as shown on the Financial and Statistical Report for Nursing Homes, as filed by Health Care & Retirement Corporation of America d/b/a Oakmont East Nursing Center, to determine if these costs were allowable as defined by the State Plan for Medicaid reimbursement purposes and supported by accounting and statistical records maintained by the provider. Our findings as a result of these procedures are presented in the Adjustment Report, Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days, and Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis sections of this report.
- 2. We recomputed the Computation of Reimbursement Rate using the adjusted costs and calculated the rate change in accordance with the provisions of the contract between the Department of Health and Human Services and Health Care & Retirement Corporation of America d/b/a Oakmont East Nursing Center dated as of October 1, 1994 as amended. Our findings as a result of these procedures are presented in the Computation of Rate Change and Computation of Adjusted Reimbursement Rate sections of this report.

Department of Health and Human Services State of South Carolina July 26, 2001

These agreed-upon procedures do not constitute an audit of financial statements or any part thereof, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on the financial statements or a part thereof. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than the specified party.

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Computation of Rate Change For the Contract Period Beginning October 1, 2000 AC# 3-OKE-J9

	Beginning- <u>10/01/00</u>
Interim reimbursement rate (1)	\$98.44
Adjusted reimbursement rate	<u>96.41</u>
Decrease in reimbursement rate	\$ <u>2.03</u>

⁽¹⁾ Interim reimbursement rate from the South Carolina Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Provider Rate Listing dated December 19, 2000

Computation of Adjusted Reimbursement Rate
For the Contract Period Beginning October 1, 2000
AC# 3-OKE-J9

Costs Subject to Standards:	Incentives	Allowable Cost	Cost <u>Standard</u>	Computed <u>Rate</u>
General Services		\$45.48	\$50.24	
Dietary		9.85	10.12	
Laundry/Housekeeping/Maint.		7.96	8.88	
Subtotal	\$ <u>4.85</u>	63.29	69.24	\$63.29
Administration & Med. Rec.	\$	11.56	10.55	10.55
Subtotal		74.85	\$ <u>79.79</u>	73.84
Costs Not Subject to Standards:				
Utilities Special Services Medical Supplies & Oxygen Taxes and Insurance Legal Fees		2.05 .15 3.70 1.62 .12		2.05 .15 3.70 1.62 .12
TOTAL		\$ <u>82.49</u>		81.48
Inflation Factor (3.20%)				2.61
Cost of Capital				10.25
Cost of Capital Limitation				(2.40)
Profit Incentive (Max. 3.5% of Allowable Cost)			-	
Cost Incentive			4.85	
Effect of \$1.75 Cap on Cost/Profit Incentives			(3.10)	
Nurse Aide Staffing Add-On 10/01/99			1.10	
Nurse Aide Staffing Add-on 10/01/	00			1.62
ADJUSTED REIMBURSEMENT RATE				\$ <u>96.41</u>

OAKMONT EAST NURSING CENTER
Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

<u>Expenses</u>	Totals (From Schedule SC 13) as Adjusted by DH&HS	Adjust <u>Debit</u>	ments <u>Credit</u>	Adjusted <u>Totals</u>
General Services	\$2,101,274	\$ 44,679 (5)	\$ 176 (3) 61 (3) 34,017 (5) 7,965 (6)	\$2,103,734
Dietary	459,986	743 (5)	2,015 (3) 388 (6) 2,693 (9)	455,633
Laundry	113,177	-	137 (5)	113,040
Housekeeping	151,622	1,126 (7)	296 (3) 1,113 (8)	151,339
Maintenance	33,849	70,902 (5) 242 (6) 246 (7)	562 (3) 752 (8) 300 (9)	103,625
Administration & Medical Records	508,061	16,904 (5) 18,776 (6) 3,933 (7)	3,415 (3) 829 (5) 6,485 (8) 2,261 (9)	534,684
Utilities	162 , 916	6,810 (4) 1,188 (7)	209 (3) 75,130 (5) 69 (6) 686 (8)	94,820
Special Services	35,811	-	1 (9) 28,650 (10)	7,160
Medical Supplies & Oxygen	188,289	-	634 (3) 10,275 (5) 2,474 (6) 3,804 (9)	171,102
Taxes and Insurance	111,675	818 (7)	33,382 (2) 3,383 (6) 568 (8)	75,160

Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

<u>Expenses</u>	Totals (From Schedule SC 13) as Adjusted by DH&HS	Adjust <u>Debit</u>	ments <u>Credit</u>	Adjusted <u>Totals</u>
Legal Fees	14,091	121 (7)	5,910 (3) 2,812 (6) 74 (8)	5,416
Cost of Capital	509,043	15 (1) 3,765 (5) 2,518 (7) 2,612 (11)	41,741 (6) 2,314 (8)	473,898
Subtotal	4,389,794	175,398	275 , 581	4,289,611
Ancillary	276,851	-	28,631 (5)	248,220
Non-Allowable	665,420	33,382 (2) 12,026 (5) 39,814 (6) 11,992 (8) 9,059 (9) 28,650 (10)	15 (1) 9,950 (7) 2,612 (11)	787,766
Total Operating Expenses	\$ <u>5,332,065</u>	\$ <u>310,321</u>	\$ <u>316,789</u>	\$ <u>5,325,597</u>
Total Patient Days	<u>46,253</u>			46,253
Total Beds	<u>132</u>			

Adjustment Report
Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

ADJUSTMENT <u>NUMBER</u>	ACCOUNT TITLE	DEBIT	CREDIT
1	Other Equity Cost of Capital Fixed Assets Accumulated Depreciation Nonallowable	\$112 , 162 15	\$ 83,951 28,211 15
	To adjust fixed assets and related depreciation HIM-15-1, Section 2304 State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
2	Nonallowable Taxes and Insurance	33,382	33,382
	To adjust liability insurance expense HIM-15-1, Section 2304		
3	Retained Earnings Nursing Restorative Dietary Housekeeping Maintenance Administration Legal Utilities Medical Supplies	13,278	176 61 2,015 296 562 3,415 5,910 209 634
	To properly charge expense applicable to the prior period HIM-15-1, Section 2302.1		
4	Utilities Intercompany - Oakmont West	6,810	6,810
	To record shared service allocation HIM-15-1, Section 2304		

Adjustment Report
Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

ADJUSTMENT NUMBER	ACCOUNT TITLE	DEBIT	CREDIT
5	Restorative	44,679	
	Dietary	743	
	Maintenance	70,902	
	Medical Records	16,904	
	Cost of Capital	3 , 765	
	Nonallowable	12,026	
	Nursing		34,017
	Laundry		137
	Administration		829
	Utilities		75 , 130
	Medical Supplies		10,275
	Ancillary		28,631
	To adjust shared service allocation		
	HIM-15-1, Section 2304		
	State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
6	Maintenance	242	
	Administration	18 , 776	
	Nonallowable	39 , 814	
	Nursing		7 , 965
	Dietary		388
	Legal		2,812
	Utilities		69
	Taxes and Insurance		3,383
	Medical Supplies		2,474
	Cost of Capital		41,741
	To adjust home office cost allocation		
	HIM-15-1, Section 2304		
	State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
7	Housekeeping	1,126	
	Maintenance	246	
	Administration	3,933	
	Legal	121	
	Utilities	1,188	
	Taxes and Insurance	818	
	Cost of Capital	2,518	
	Nonallowable		9,950
	To reverse Provider/DH&HS adjustment to		
	remove indirect cost applicable to a		
	non-reimbursable cost center		
	HIM-15-1, Section 2102.3		
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State Plan, Attachment 4.19D

Adjustment Report
Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

ADJUSTMENT <u>NUMBER</u>	ACCOUNT TITLE	DEBIT	CREDIT
8	Nonallowable Housekeeping Maintenance Administration Legal Utilities Taxes and Insurance Cost of Capital	11 , 992	1,113 752 6,485 74 686 568 2,314
	To remove indirect cost applicable to a non-reimbursable cost center HIM-15-1, Section 2102.3 State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
9	Nonallowable Dietary Maintenance Administration Medical Supplies Special Services	9,059	2,693 300 2,261 3,804
	To remove special (ancillary) services reimbursed by Medicare State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
10	Nonallowable Special Services	28 , 650	28,650
	To adjust co-insurance for Medicare Part B services State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
11	Cost of Capital Nonallowable	2,612	2,612
	To adjust capital return State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
	TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$ <u>435,761</u>	\$ <u>435,761</u>

Due to the nature of compliance reporting, adjustment descriptions and references contained in the preceding Adjustment Report are provided for general guidance only and are not intended to be all-inclusive.

Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

Original Asset Cost (Per Bed)	\$ 15,618
Inflation Adjustment	2.3156
Deemed Asset Value (Per Bed)	36,165
Number of Beds	132
Deemed Asset Value	4,773,780
Improvements Since 1981	1,928,648
Accumulated Depreciation at 09/30/99	(2,007,784)
Deemed Depreciated Value	4,694,644
Market Rate of Return	.060
Total Annual Return	281 , 679
Return Applicable to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	(2,113)
Allocation of Interest to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	846
Allowable Annual Return	280,412
Depreciation Expense	198,685
Amortization Expense	1,612
Capital Related Income Offsets	(4,497)
Allocation of Capital Expenses to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	(2,314)
Allowable Cost of Capital Expense	473 , 898
Total Patient Days (Minimum 96% Occupancy)	46,253
Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ <u>10.25</u>

Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1999
AC# 3-OKE-J9

6/30/89 Cost of Capital and Return on Equity Capital Per Diem Reimbursement	\$ 3.86
Adjustment for Maximum Increase	3.99
Maximum Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ <u>7.85</u>
Reimbursable Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ 7.85
Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ <u>10.25</u>
Cost of Capital Per Diem Limitation	\$ <u>(2.40</u>)

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